

Woods Hole, Mass.
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Dear Dr. Pomerat:

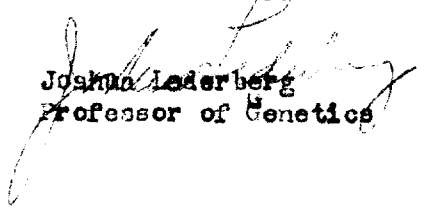
I hope my wife's call to you yesterday (while she was in New York) did not catch you at an inopportune moment.

I can ~~fully~~ understand the importance of Cavalli's appearing at the Foundation; it is unfortunate that he should be arriving at such an awkward time. There is still a chance that he will disembark on Wednesday or Thursday, in which case we will still be able to drive back together. If he comes Friday or later, we will have to start back without him.

I am sure that Dr. Cavalli is no less pleased than myself at his opportunity to visit our laboratory, and as grateful to the Foundation for it.

Would you be kind enough to pass on the enclosed message addressed to him?

Yours sincerely,


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Professor of Genetics